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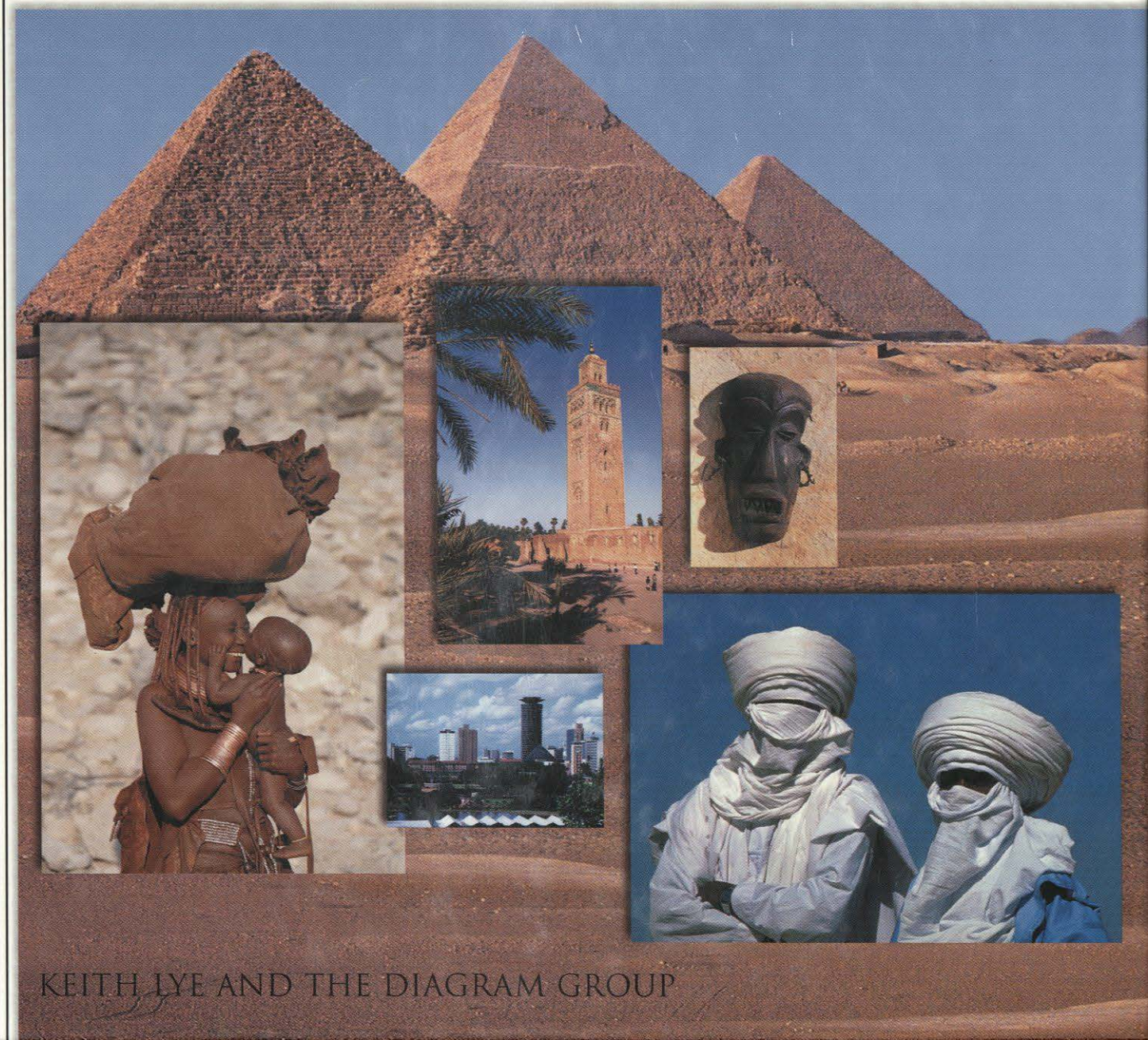

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Introduction

Much of what is often referred to as "African history" describes the lives of Arabs or Europeans and their views of the societies they colonized in Africa. Yet African peoples developed many powerful, rich, and sophisticated civilizations that flourished long before—and during—the colonialism of foreign nations. The *Encyclopedia of African Nations and Civilizations* tells the histories of these African civilizations, and their struggle to throw off colonialism, in a highly visual and imaginative way.

The book is organized in three sections, copiously illustrated by line drawings, comprehensive timelines, and numerous maps. These all combine to provide detailed information about occupation by foreign powers, relevant military events and the development of the African peoples. The sections can be read together to reveal a portrait of Africa as a whole, or consulted separately for vital and interesting facts about specific research topics.

Section 1: Africa Today presents an overview of the political and economic status of each of the five main regions of Africa: North, East, West, Central, and Southern. The following information is given for each region: a map showing national borders within the particular region; the areas of individual nations; population density; per capita GNP; official name; capital cities; official language; and currency.

Section 2: Development of the continent focuses on areas of particular relevance to the cultural development of Africa as a whole. An extensive chronology of important events in the history of each nation is followed by special features on such topics as the spread of Christianity and of Islamic beliefs. The historical perspective afforded by the analysis of North African conquests by various colonial powers, and the resistance to them, is complemented by graphic illustrations of the years when independence was achieved, and *coups d'état* in the newly emerging nations. Other topics mentioned in passing in *Section 3* are here dealt with in detail, such as slavery: its economic importance to the colonial powers, the struggle of African peoples to be free from it, and the scars it has left on all touched by the trade.

Section 3: A to Z of Nations and Civilizations is the core of the book, consisting of almost 300 pages. It is presented in alphabetical order so that the history of each civilization, and the emergence of the independent nations from the colonial powers, can be easily found. A wealth of facts and figures is given for each nation, including: a brief history; recent events; indigenous peoples; biographies of the major personalities; and detailed timelines that capture the major events within each nation's recent history, and their leaders since independence. Special features focus on particular events that have had, or will have, far-reaching effects on generations to come, such as the loss of life on both sides in the Anglo-Sudanese and Zulu conflicts, the horrors perpetrated in the Congo, the international tension created by the Suez Crisis, and the inhumanity of the apartheid regime in South Africa.

The *Encyclopedia of African Nations and Civilizations* is unique. The editorial team that worked on the project specializes in the integration of visual forms of information with concise and clear text. This interrelationship of text and images is made even more effective by the care taken in presenting the elements on the page in an attractive, yet coherent, whole. Additionally, the use of two-color artwork, together with the painstaking concern for detail, brings to life the history of the African continent in a way that is, at one and the same time, authoritative, engaging, and exciting.

A concise reference tool for students, researchers and teachers, this book can be used as a companion volume to the *Encyclopedia of African Peoples*, an ethnographic study of more than 1,000 peoples of Africa. This book also gives the general reader an unparalleled overview of the factors which led to the emergence of the nations that inhabit the African continent today, and the ways in which they are developing their independence at the start of the twenty-first century.

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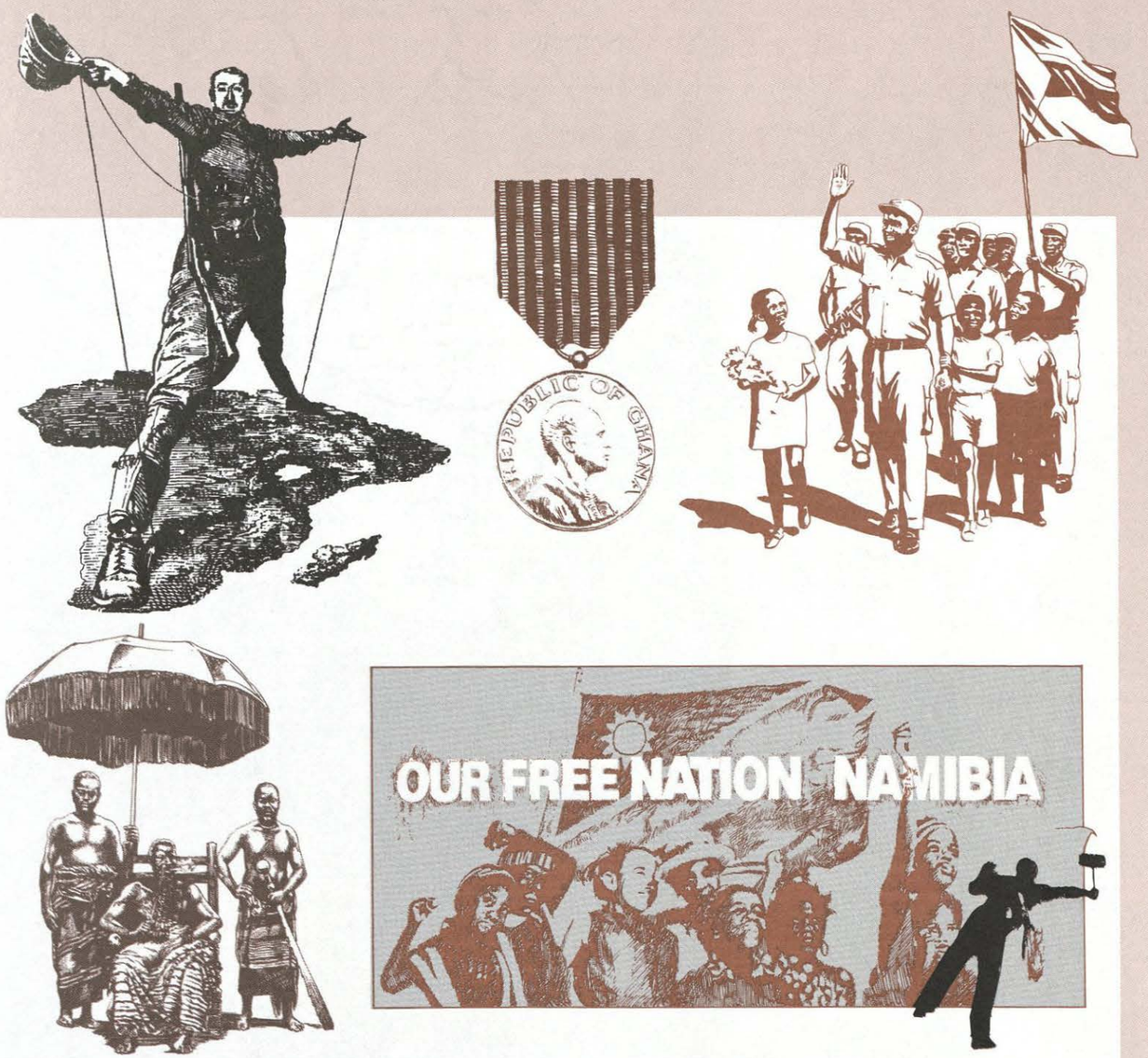

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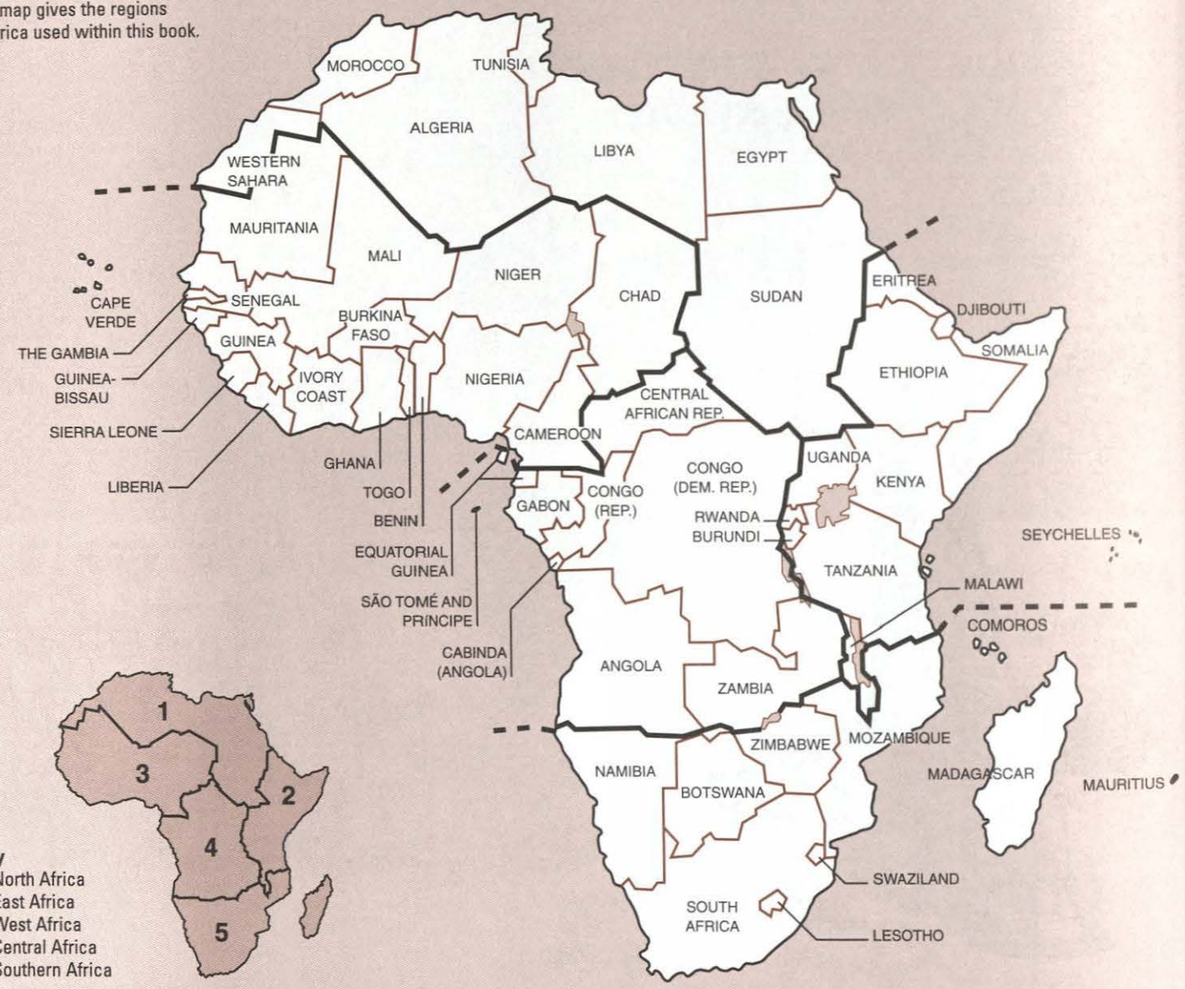

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